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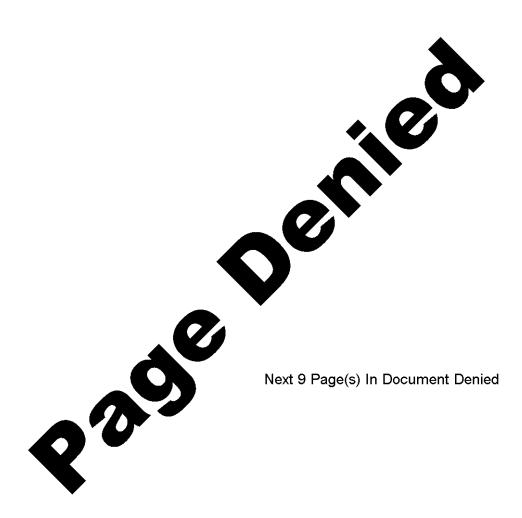
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	Somali efforts to recruit, arm,
	and train guerrillas to harass Ethiopian forces in the Ogaden are continuing. Meanwhile, the decline in Somali
z ∧	President Siad's political position has temporarily halted
1/2	as a result of the delivery of foreign military aid and
1	the institution of limited political reforms. Domestic
	critics, particularly in the north, have been startled by
	the Ethiopian incursion and have ceased public protest.
	Comment: Siad is likely to continue minimal reforms,
١.	but he will resist substantial changes. He appears con-
Y	vinced that, without additional military aid, his only
,	hope of ending the Ethiopian incursions is to revitalize the insurgency in the Ogaden.
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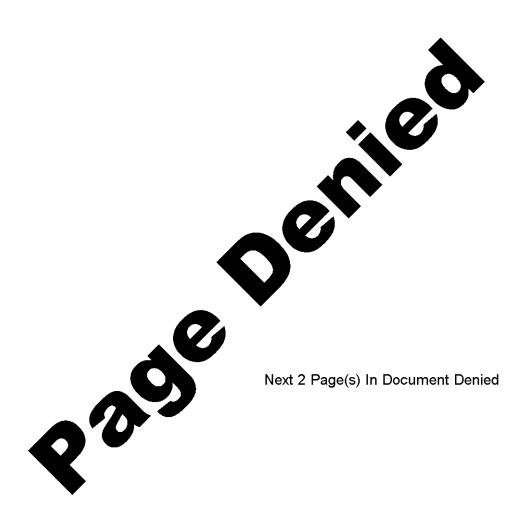
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